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Hon. Miroslav Lovric
United States Magistrate Judge
15 Henry Street
Binghamton, New York 13901

Re: *Estate of Joseph P. King v. Ward, et al*
Civil Case No.: 9:20-cv-1413

Dear Judge Lovric:

I have recently been assigned to the above-entitled matter. To date, I have received notice that three of the named Defendants have been served. All three Defendants have requested representation by my office. Accordingly, I have filed Notices of Appearance for those Defendants.

The Court has set a February 10, 2021 deadline for Rule 26 Disclosures and the Civil Case Management Plan. Additionally, the Court has scheduled a Rule 16 conference for February 17, 2021. Given that the remaining Defendants must still be served, and they will have the option to request representation from my office, Defendants respectfully request a 30-day extension for the aforementioned deadlines and an adjournment of the Rule 16 conference. I have spoken with Plaintiff's counsel and they have graciously agreed to postponing these deadlines and the Rule 16 conference.

Respectfully,

S/
Aimee Cowan, Esq.
Assistant Attorney General

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